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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Concurrently with the U.S. national filing of this application, please amend the present application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claim 30 and amend claims 1-29 and 31-32 as follows:

Claim 1. (Amended) A plant for glenerating active and reactive electric power for a high-voltage distribution or transmission network [(110)], comprising at least one electric generator [(200) which is coupled to at least one of a gas and [/or] steam turbine [(102)] via a shaft means [(101) and comprises] comprising at least